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March 29, 2006

**AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In reply to the final Office Action mailed December 30, 2005, please amend this application as shown on the following attached pages and consider the following remarks.



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**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

**FEES**

The fee for claims and extension of time (37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17) has been calculated as shown below:

|                                              | CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT | HIGHEST NO.<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | PRESENT<br>EXTRA | RATE    | ADDIT.<br>FEE |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------|---------|---------------|
| TOTAL                                        | 23                                        | -                                     | 23 = 0           | X<br>\$ | = \$          |
| INDEP.                                       | 3                                         | -                                     | 3 = 0            | X<br>\$ | = \$          |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP.<br>CLAIM |                                           |                                       |                  | +<br>\$ | = \$ 0.00     |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE                   |                                           |                                       |                  |         | \$            |
| GRAND TOTAL                                  |                                           |                                       |                  |         | \$ 0.00       |

**FEE PAYMENT**

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$0.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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